Transmittal Letter to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US)

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	PCT/EP05/00802 January 27, 2005 March 2, 2004	10/591518	
	METHOD AND DEVICE	FOR DRIVING SUPPORT ROLLERS ON A CONTINUOUS OR MOLTEN METALS IN PARTICULAR FOR MOLTEN	
Applicant(s) for (DO/EO/US) :		hauer, Axel Weyer and Karl Hoen	
Applicant herewith submits to the United	States Designated/Elected	Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information	n:
1. X This is a FIRST submission of ite	ems concerning a filing und	er 35 U.S.C. 371.	
2 This is a SECOND or SUBSEQUENT su			
3. X This express request to begin nat examination until the expiration PCT Articles 22 and 39(1).	ional examination procedure of the applicable time lim	es 35 U.S.C. 371 (f) at any time rather than delay it set forth in 35 U.S.C 371(b) and	
4 A proper Demand for International claimed priority date.	Preliminary Examination w	as made by the 19th month from the earliest	
5. X A copy of the cover sheet of the	International Application	as filed [35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)],	
a) X is transmitted here	ewith (required only if not	transmitted by the International Bureau).	
	ted by the international Bu		
		ed in the United States Receiving Office (RO/US).	
6. X A translation of the Internationa			
		nder PCT Article 19 [35 U.S.C.371(c)(3)].	
		not transmitted by the International Bureau).	
	tted by the International E e: however the time limit	for making such amendments has NOT expired.	
d) have not been mad		To making such unchaments not expired.	
8 A translation of the amendments t		icle 19 [35 U.S.C.371(c)(3)].	
9. X An oath or declaration of the inv			
10 A translation of the International			
Items 11. to 16. below concern other	document(s) or informati	on included:	
11. X An Information Disclosure Stateme	ent under 37 C.F.R. 1.97 an	d 198.	
12 An Assignment document for record	ling. A separate cover shee	t in compliance with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included.	
13. X A FIRST preliminary amendment.			
A SECOND or SUBSEQUENT preliminar	'y amendment.		
14 A substitute specification.	14		
15 A change of power of attorney and		1440 w/ O metemones and International Seameh Beneat	
======================================	e sheets of drawings, Pio-	1449 w/ 9 references and International Search Report	
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		ne United States Postal Service Express mail under 37 CFR 1.10 r Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.	

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17. X The following fees are submitted:			CALCUL -	PTO USE			
BASIC NATIONAL FEE [37 CFR 1.492(a)(1)-(5)]:			ATIONS	ONLO			
$\underline{\chi}$ Search Report has been prepared by the EPO or JPO							
International preliminary examination fee paid to USPTO [37 CFR 1.482]:							
International preliminary examination fee paid and all claims satisfied provisions of PCT Art	to USPTO [37 CFR 1.482]						
		ASIC FEE AMOUNT: \$ 100	0.00				
Surcharge of \$ 130.00 for furnishing the oath or declaration from the earliest claimed priority date [37 CFR 1.492(e)].	n later than 20 30 r	months \$					
C1	aims filed	Extra Rate					
<u>To</u> ·	tal Claims 14 -20=	x \$ 50.=_\$					
<u>In</u>	dep. Claims 2 <u>- 3=</u>	x \$200.= \$					
<u>(_</u>	Multiple Dependent Claim Prese	nted? x \$360.= \$					
	TOTAL	OF ABOVE CALCULATIONS:	1000.00				
Small Entity Status is being claimed		(divided by 2) \$	7 20				
		SUBTOTAL:	\$ 1000.00				
Processing fee of \$ 130.00 for furnishing the English Transfrom the earliest claimed priority date [37 CFR 1.492(f)]	lation later than2030 m	onths \$					
		TOTAL NATIONAL FEE:	\$ 1000.00				
Fee for recording the enclosed assignment [37 CFR 1.21(h)] accompanied by an appropriate cover sheet [37 CFR 3.28,3.31]	The assignment must be]. \$ 40.00 per property	\$					
	To	OTAL FEE ENCLOSED: \$	1000.00				
	Ai	MOUNT TO BE REFUNDED: \$	Refunded				
	Ai	MOUNT TO BE CHARGED: \$	Charged				
a) X The amount of \$ 1,000.00 to cover the above	e fees is being charged as per	attached for PTO-2038.					
b) Please charge my Deposit Account No. 11-183 A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.	5 in the amount of \$ t	o cover the above fees	•				
c) X The Commissioner is hereby authorized to check overpayment to Deposit Account No. 11-183		may be required, or calet is enclosed.	redit any				
NOTE: Where an appropriate time limit under 36 CFR 1.494 or (b)] must be filed and granted to restore the application	1.495 has not been met, a peti to pending status.	tion to revive [37 CFR	1.137(a) or				
SEND ALL CORRESPONDENCE TO: Friedrich Kueffner 317 Madison Avenue Suite 910 New York, NY 10017							
Friedrich Kueffner Name Signature			<u>September</u> e	1, 2006			

CUSTOMER NUMBER: 00040570